

WORLD BALLADS.

WHAT THEY FOUND IN THE SNOW.
Sitting, sitting, sitting,
Till all the black street was clean.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Special Meeting Last Night—Ontario and Quebec Railway—A Variety of Motions.
Last evening the city fathers held a special meeting in their chambers.

PUNCH, BROTHERS, PUNCH.

The Order of Conductors—A Division Established in Toronto.
To an outsider it was hard to understand how the trains of cars within hundreds of miles of Toronto got along yesterday.

A STRANGE INTERVIEW.

How Madame Poulgarnis Told An Evening Terrible Reporter's Tale.
The reporter refreshed himself several times at a corner grocery store before he could gather courage sufficient to enter the little frame house in the ward.

NEWS ABOUT THE CITY.

The congregation of Richmond street Methodist church will elect the pastor to reappoint Rev. Isaac Tovell as pastor for another term.

POLICE ESTIMATES.

The police estimates for the current year were laid before the council last night.

CITY COUNCIL NOTES.

The council thinks of buying a one-horse reel for the Yonge-street station.

THE LENTEN SEASON.

Rules for the observance of Lent in the Archdiocese of Toronto.

THE TORONTO HIGMINT.

The Toronto higmint, Taylor, was examined before the police magistrate at St. Thomas yesterday.

THE CHARITABLE HAVE A WORSHIP CASE.

The charitable have a worship case to resolve in the person of Mrs. Hendry, widow of a man who has been settled.

THE SCHOONER AZOR.

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IN IT TRUE?

How an Alleged Signer Found the Law—Was There a Bagful of Bricks in that Coffin?

The township of Markham, and more especially the neighborhood of Incaiville, has been wealthy in surprising incidents of late. Something less than a week ago an elderly man who was evidently in pretty fair circumstances arrived in the village and took up his residence there. He said that he was a widower and hinted that he would not be averse to taking into himself a wife. He obtained one in the shape of a BUREAU WIDOW of about forty, and the pair lived lovingly and happily together one day and night, and arrived a strange female on the scene. She professed to be the wife of the amorous old man, and showed a strong desire to read the delicate features of the bureau second wife with her fair fingers. She threatened all sorts of things, and finally went away charging her trustful lord with bigamy, but her scheme was defeated. The double married man finally conveniently sick, and after a short illness, which he bore with great fortitude, he died. The widow No. 2 was not over-rejoiced with grief, but she had bravely under her nose. As the scandal had dulled the sympathies of the neighbors for the dead man, and finally went away, it is alleged that none were permitted to see the corpse for, as was stated, obvious reasons. The funeral took place a few days afterwards, and the body was buried in a neighbouring churchyard. The strange assertion is now made by the villagers that the man never

J. J. McCANN, Secretary.